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METHODS FOR SCREENING FOR ANTI-HYPERTENSIVE

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PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR DRAWINGS

Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2) that the enclosed color drawings are the only practical medium to disclose the subject matter of the abovecaptioned application.

Color drawings are necessary to depict the cellular localization of the indicated proteins in the immunostains of Figure 2D and 6B.

Enclosed is a check for \$130.00 to cover the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h); three sets of the color drawings; and a black and white photocopy of the color drawings.

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Applicants further note that the specification has been amended to contain the language set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)(iv).

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Respectfully submitted,

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